

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
WESTERN DIVISION
Consolidated Civil Action**

RALEIGH WAKE CITIZENS
ASSOCIATION, et al.

Plaintiffs,

v.

WAKE COUNTY BOARD
OF ELECTIONS,

Defendant.

No. 5:15-cv-156

CALLA WRIGHT, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
et al.,

Defendants.

No. 5:13-cv-607

MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

COMES NOW, George E. Eppsteiner, counsel for Plaintiffs, pursuant to LR 83.1(g) and hereby moves the Court to allow the withdrawal of his appearance as counsel for Plaintiffs in this action. In support thereof, the undersigned states as follows:

1. The undersigned has accepted an employment position out of state and no

longer will be employed with the Southern Coalition for Social Justice after July 15, 2016.

2. As a result thereof, the undersigned will no longer be in a position to represent Plaintiffs in this action.

3. Remaining counsel of record for the Plaintiffs will remain as counsel to the Plaintiffs in this action.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned respectfully requests this Honorable Court grant the instant Motion and enter an Order, attached as Exhibit A, discharging George Eppsteiner as counsel for the Plaintiffs with an effective date of July 16, 2016.

This the 12th day of July, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this date I served a copy of the foregoing Motion to Withdraw as Counsel, with service to be made by electronic filing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF System, which will send a Notice of Electronic Filing to all parties with an e-mail address of record, who have appeared and consent to electronic service in this action.

This the 12th day of July, 2016.

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